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expressed by T cells in a stable manner, and the chimeric immunoglobulin/TCRs must form a functional association with CD3 signal-transducing polypeptides.

Functional chimeric immunoglobulin/TCRs have been produced in which the variable gene segments of the TCR α and β chains were replaced by variable gene segments of the heavy and light chain of an immunoglobulin. See, for example, Becker et al., Cell 58: 911 (1989), Eshhar et al., Br. J. Cancer 62 (Suppl. 10): 27 (1990), Governan et al., Cell 60: 929 (1990), Gross et al., Transplant Proc. 21: 127 (1989a), and Gross et al., Proc. Nat'l Acad. Sci. which are incorporated by 10024 (1989b), The present invention contemplates reference. construction of chimeric immunoglobulin/TCRs in which TCR lpha and eta chains are replaced by variable gene segments of the heavy and light chain of either an Ab1 or an Ab2.

In addition, functional chimeric immunoglobulin/CD3 proteins have been produced in which DNA fragments encoding immunoglobulin variable segments were fused with DNA fragments encoding γ , ζ or η CD3 polypeptides. for example, Seed et al., international application publication No. WO 92/15322 (1992), and Eshhar et al., Proc. Nat'l Acad. Sci. USA 90: 720 (1993), which are Thus, the present invention incorporated by reference. construction of contemplates the immunoglobulin/CD3 proteins comprising variable gene segments of the heavy and light chain of either an Ab1 or an Ab2.

Chimeric immunoglobulin/TCRs and chimeric immunoglobulin/CD3 proteins can be constructed using standard techniques. Typical techniques are illustrated by the following methods that can be used to construct an anti-CEA (or Ab2)/TCR.

DNA molecules encoding the variable regions of anti-CEA Mab or anti-idiotype Mab can be synthesized using the polymerase chain reaction with RNA from hybridomas that produce such antibodies. General techniques for the synthesis of murine variable regions and suitable primers

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